COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND ENERGY

FIBER TECHNOLOGIES NETWORKS, L.L.C.,)
Complainant,)
v.) D.T.E. 02-47
VERIZON NEW ENGLAND and NORTHEAST UTILITIES SERVICE COMPANY,))
Respondents.)))

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND PETITION FOR INTERIM RELIEF AND COMPLAINT

Fiber Technologies Networks, L.L.C. ("Complainant" or "Fibertech"), through undersigned counsel, requests that Fibertech be granted leave to amend its Petition for Interim Relief and Complaint to add Massachusetts Electric Company ("ΜΕCΩ") as an additional Respondent in this action, and in support thereof states:

- 1. MECO recently presented Fibertech with a "Notice of Termination of Aerial License Agreement" by letter from G. Paul Anundson dated September 18, 2002 (the "Termination Notice") a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A";
- 2. The installation of facilities cited by MECO as the reason for the Termination Notice is the same "June Installation" referenced in Fibertech's Petition for Interim Relief and Complaint with respect to MECO poles in Northampton, Massachusetts;
- 3. The legal issues involved in Fibertech's action against MECO will be substantially the same as those already before the DTE in Fibertech's Petition for Interim Relief and Complaint, including but not limited to MECO's failure to comply with the 45 Day

Requirement set forth in 220 C.M.R. § 45.03(2), and other discriminatory and anticompetitive

conduct applied to the MECO poles in Northampton;

4. The relief that Fibertech will seek from MECO will be substantially the same as

the relief that Fibertech is seeking from Verizon and WMECO in its Petition for Interim Relief

and Complaint.

Based on the foregoing, Fibertech respectfully requests that it be granted leave to

amend its Petition for Interim Relief and Complaint to add MECO as an additional Respondent

in this action.

Respectfully submitted,

FIBER TECHNOLOGIES NETWORKS, L.L.C.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby co	ertify that on Septo	ember	, 2002, I	served	a copy	of the	foregoing	; on
the Respondents, b	y delivering a copy	of the same	via ema	il and fi	irst clas	s mail	to:	

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